

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Applicant: | George S. Gabriel | Art Unit: | 3643 |
| Appln. No.: | 09/173,134 | Examiner: | Nguyen, Son |
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| For: | MULTISPECIES RODENT CAGE | | |

Date: September 19, 2008

**RESPONSE TO
NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants have received a Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (“Notice”) dated August 14, 2008, in the above-identified application. A response to the Notice is due by October 14, 2008, and so this paper is timely filed.

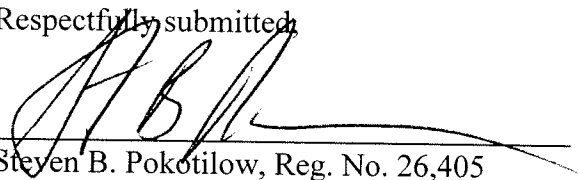
The Notice objected to Figure 9 of the drawings on the grounds that the figure number label is placed in a location that causes the drawing to be read upside down, and required replacement drawings. Applicants therefore have prepared and submit herewith replacement drawings (Figures 7 through 10), which are believed to address this objection. The replacement drawings contain no new matter.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper. If, however, the Commissioner deems otherwise, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies now or hereafter due to Deposit Account No. 19-4709.

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance.

Early and favorable action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. B. Pokotilow', is written over a horizontal line.

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